

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re the application of     | ) |                                 |
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| Bedell et al.                | ) | Group Art Unit: 1756            |
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| Application No. 10/733,097   | ) | Examiner: Chacko-Davis, Daborah |
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| Filed: 12/10/2003            | ) | Attorney Docket No. HIT1P023/   |
|                              | ) | HSJ920030085US1                 |
| For: PLATING USING COPOLYMER | ) |                                 |
|                              | ) | Date: July 17, 2006             |
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**AMENDMENT B**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 15, 2006, please consider the following amendments and/or remarks believed to place the claims in condition for allowance.

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